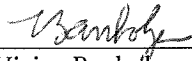


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IN RE APPLICATION OF:)
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SERIAL No.: 10/561,424) ART UNIT: 1797
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<u>OPENING AND CLOSING OF</u>	
<u>REACTION VESSELS</u>	

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 12, 2009 Applicant respectfully requests entry and consideration of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

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